

Local Notice to Mariners

Notice: 25 – 24 Wēiti River channel temporary closure

All mariners are advised that there will be temporary river closures as a part of O Mahurangi – PENLINK project at Weiti River. Details of schedule and locations are below in the map. All mariners operating in this area, refer to the below message from the project team.

To construct the new Wēiti River bridge, a temporary staging (platform) is being constructed to allow access for machinery, equipment and staff. The western section is nearing completion and we will soon start the temporary staging on the eastern side of the river to allow the construction of Pier 4.

To enable the construction of the eastern staging, the navigable channel will be temporarily closed for a period of 8 weeks (3 July – 31 August). This is to allow for the much safer transfer of a large 280 tonne crane and other equipment to the eastern side. Once reopened, an approximate 18-metre wide navigable gap will be available for vessels to pass through. At times, for short periods during work hours, loads will be lifted over the gap meaning vessels will be unable to pass at that time.

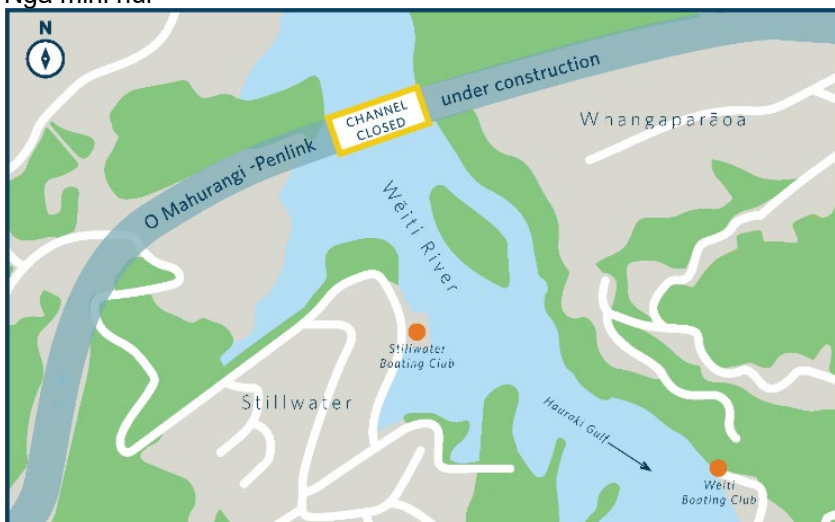
Date	What to expect
Wednesday 3 July to Saturday 31 August	Navigable channel closed at the temporary staging worksite.

Should there be any changes to the above dates, due to unforeseen circumstances or the works are completed earlier than expected, a notification will be sent with full details. Our normal hours of work are Monday to Friday 7am to 6pm and Saturday 8am to 4pm.

Please note: the channel closure does not affect vessels navigating the river downstream of the worksite.

We apologise for any inconvenience caused and thank all river users and neighbours for their patience during the ongoing construction of the new Wēiti River Bridge. Should you have any questions in regard to these works, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Ngā mihi nui



* Please note: This map is indicative only and is not to be used for navigational purposes.

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For information on the O Mahurangi – Penlink project, visit www.nzta.govt.nz/penlink

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Local Notices to Mariners currently in force:

- 08 – 17 Chart Plotters (Updated)
- 22 – 17 Wairoa River Fallen Tree
- 28 – 18 Hobson Bay / Okahu Bay wave screen
- 32 – 19 Motuihe Wharf Closure
- 57 – 19 Submerged pile in the approaches to Tramcar Bay Boat yard, Whangateau
- 19 – 21 Navigational hazard, sand bank shoaling, Tamaki River
- 41 – 21 Great Barrier Island – no anchoring areas
- 43 – 22 Fallen trees, Matakana River
- 21 – 23 Marine construction, Hobsonville Point
- 30 – 23 Penlink Weiti River Bridge Construction Project
- 34 – 23 Marine farm development, Western Firth
- 03 – 24 Navigational Hazard, Sandbank shoaling, Whau River Mouth
- 05 – 24 Te Wero lifting bridge - mechanical issues
- 10 – 24 Gt Barrier Wharf Closures Blind Bay & Tryphena
- 12 – 24 Marine Survey, Hauraki Gulf
- 15 – 24 Aids to Navigation missing, Tamaki River
- 21 – 24 Jet Ski Racing NZ Winter Enduro Orewa Beach Saturday 29 June 2024
- 22 – 24 RNZAF SERE Training 4 June - 21 June 2024
- 23 – 24 Outboard Boating Club Distress Signal Training
- 24 – 24 NZ Defence Force live firing activity South Kaipara 20 - 24 June 2024



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